# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

### FISCAL NOTE

L.R. No.: 4248-04

Bill No.: Perfected SB 615

Subject: Courts; Judges; Civil Procedure; Crimes and Punishment; Criminal Procedure

Type: Original

Date: March 10, 2014

Bill Summary: This proposal modifies provisions of law relating to court costs.

## **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS						
FUND AFFECTED	AFFECTED FY 2015 FY 2016					
Total Estimated Net Effect on Other State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0			

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)						
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2015	FY 2015 FY 2016 FY 201				
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0			

- ☐ Estimated Total Net Effect on All funds expected to exceed \$100,000 savings or (cost).
- ☐ Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund expected to exceed \$100,000 (cost).

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	
<b>Local Government</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0	

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#### FISCAL ANALYSIS

#### ASSUMPTION

Officials at the **Office of the State Courts Administrator (CTS)** assume the proposed legislation modifies provisions of law relating to court costs. There may be some, unquantifiable at this time, impact but there is no way to quantify that currently. Any significant changes will be reflected in future budget requests.

Officials at the Office of the State Public Defender, Office of the State Treasurer and Department of Revenue each assume no fiscal impact to their respective agencies from this proposal.

Officials at the **City of Columbia** assume with the municipal court's ability to retain minimal overpayments instead of directing them to the county, there appears to be some potential to gain limited revenues for local use.

**Oversight** assumes this amount to be gained for local use by the City to be a minimal amount and therefore will show a no fiscal impact for this proposal.

Officials at the City of O'Fallon, Cole County, St. Louis County, the St. Louis County Directors of Elections, the City of Jefferson, and the City of Kansas City each assume no fiscal impact to their respective agencies from this proposal.

Officials at the following cities: Ashland, Belton, Bernie, Bonne Terre, Boonville, California, Cape Girardeau, Clayton, Dardenne Prairie, Excelsior Springs, Florissant, Frontenac, Fulton, Gladstone, Grandview, Harrisonville, Independence, Joplin, Kearney, Knob Noster, Ladue, Lake Ozark, Lebanon, Lee Summit, Liberty, Louisiana, Maryland Heights, Maryville, Mexico, Monett, Neosho, Pacific, Peculiar, Popular Bluff, Raytown, Republic, Richmond, Rolla, Sedalia, Springfield, St. Charles, St. Joseph, St. Louis, St. Robert, Sugar Creek, Sullivan, Warrensburg, Warrenton, Webb City, Weldon Spring and West Plains did not respond to **Oversight's** request for fiscal impact.

Officials at the following counties: Andrew, Audrain, Barry, Bates, Boone, Buchanan, Callaway, Camden, Cape Girardeau, Carroll, Cass, Clay, Cooper, DeKalb, Franklin, Greene, Holt, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Knox, Laclede, Lawrence, Lincoln, Marion, Miller, Moniteau, Monroe, Montgomery, New Madrid, Nodaway, Ozark, Perry, Pettis, Phelps, Platte, Pulaski, Scott, St. Charles, St. Francois, Taney, Warren, Wayne and Worth did not respond to **Oversight's** request for fiscal impact.

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FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2015 (10 Mo.)	FY 2016	FY 2017
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2015 (10 Mo.)	FY 2016	FY 2017
	<u>\$0</u>	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u>\$0</u>

## FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

## FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation appears to have no direct fiscal impact.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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## **SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

City of O'Fallon
Office of the State Courts Administrator
Office of the State Treasurer
Office of the State Public Defenders
St. Louis Directors of Elections
Department of Revenue
City of Columbia
City of Kansas City
Cole County
St. Louis County
City of Jefferson

## **Not Responding**

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